



TURNING THE GAVEL... Mrs. Bernice Kern, retiring oracle, of the Torrance Royal Neighbor Camp, left, turns over the gavel to Mrs. Ethel Liske, new oracle, as Mrs. Bertha Sharp, new vice oracle looks on at the recent installation ceremony held at the Torrance Woman's clubhouse on Engracia. (Photo Arts Studio)

Royal Neighbors Install New 1962 Officer Panel

Torrance Camp of Royal Neighbors held installation services on Tuesday evening, Jan. 16, at the Torrance Woman's club, 1422 Engracia Ave.

Chosen to serve the camp during the coming year were Ethel Liske, oracle; Bertha Sharp, vice oracle; Marie Koshak, chancellor; Opal Hoy and Verna Barleson, inner and outer sentinels; Sophia Duncan, marshal; and Dorothy Malloy, assistant marshal. Mary Baker and Vertie Cox were reelected to serve as recorder and receiver.

Mrs. Liske named as her official family, Lucille Myers, musician; Cordie White, flag bearer; Stelma Norris, captain of the degree team. Five graces are Floella Whitacre, faith; Anne Reed, modesty; Gail Quignon, courage; Juanita McNew, endurance; and

Attend Meeting In Gardena

Torrance Fireladies were guests of the Gardena Fireladies last Saturday evening at their monthly meeting held at the Gardena Council Chambers.

Two movies, "Our Obligation" and "Give Us a Break," were shown.

At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served. Attending from here were Mes. John Ferraiola, Salvatore Frasca, Jack Garland, George Blahnik, John Spaan, Robert Moffitt, Walter West, Richard Sprout and James Wass.

Angeline Disario, unselfishness.

Mrs. Betty Gaston, district deputy president of Lawndale, was ably assisted by Helen Smythe of Inglewood as ceremonial marshal; Vera Brady, Inglewood, assistant ceremonial marshal; and Susie Walker, musician.

Redondo Camp of Royal Neighbors made up the escort staff. Carrying pieces of the staff were in replicas of the Royal Neighbors Floor Cloth and depict the Five Graces of the Society. The general decor of the evening was of purple and white.

Bernice Kern was seated as the past oracle of the Camp and also served as the official hostess for the evening.

At the close of the meeting, a beautiful sheet cake honoring the camp was cut and served to members and visitors.

To Attend Democratic Convention

Mrs. Edmond Armstrong, president, and Mrs. Warren Scherich have been appointed as delegates to represent the Democratic Women's Society at the California Democratic Council Convention in Fresno on Jan. 26-28.

The California Democratic Council Convention will be held at the Fresno Memorial Auditorium, Fresno and "N" Streets. Delegates will register on Friday, Jan. 26, and a President's Reception is to be held in the evening. The remainder of the convention will be given to endorsing a slate of candidates for the offices of Governor, Lt. Governor, Attorney General, Comptroller, Treasurer, Secretary of State, and United States Senator.

Each Democratic club in California will be sending delegates to this convention.

Shower Fetes Bride-elect

Miss Janet Coleman, bride-elect, was complimented at a lovely personal shower last Thursday evening given by Miss Judy Bishop at the Coleman home, 3222 Eldorado.

A pink and white color theme was used in decorating. A papier-mache bride was center of attraction and pink roses and candles were used in further carrying out the party colors.

A pink and white bridal cake was used as the centerpiece on the table.

Games were played, followed by refreshments.

Arriving with gifts for the future bride were Mes. Bonnie Turpin, Margie McElroy, Arlene Bishop and T. S. Coleman.

Others were Misses Jan Planz, Carol Steenbock, Judy Clemens, Nan Shirley, Maria Redhead, Patty Woodman, Barbara Zubovich, Sharon Watkins, Margie Coleman and Michele McCutchen.

Doyles Welcome A Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome G. Doyle announce the birth of their second child, a daughter, on Jan. 17, at Little Company of Mary Hospital. The baby, who tipped the scales at 8 lbs., 3 ozs., has been named Margaret (Peggy) Sue.

The baby's father is in the service in Germany and will be home in March. Mrs. Doyle and their son, Patrick Brian, returned to California from Germany about three months ago. Mrs. Doyle is the former Jean McNeil of Torrance, daughter of Mrs. Bertha McNeil, 2515 Arlington Ave., and the late John Hedberg.

Mr. Gregory Jerome Doyle of Lomita is the paternal grandfather of the new baby. Mrs. Nina Hedberg of Los Angeles is the great-grandmother.

Mrs. McNeil went to Germany for the birth of Patrick Brian, 13 months ago. Mrs. Doyle and the babies are staying with Mrs. McNeil.

Gala Party For Marylin

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Douglass entertained a group of children at a party on a recent afternoon at their home, 4143 W. 175th Pl., honoring their daughter, Marylin, on her second birthday.

The birthday cake was decorated with 30 Disneyland characters which were given to the guests as party favors. The cake was served with punch.

Saying "Happy Birthday" to Marylin were Scott, Susan and Jeannine Farley, Lynn, Don, Vicki and Bobby Merk, Jeff Reynolds, Stephanie and Patty Baer, Linda and Carl Snyder, Barbara Douglass, Kathy, Teri, Danny, Sharon and Karen Alexander, Cindy, Laurie, Tracy, Terry and Mark Eisman; Mickey English, Eileen Douglass, Sheila Okimura and Marylin's sisters, Lori, Joyce and Joanne Douglass.

New Officers Installed by Altar Group

Mrs. Rico D'Ambrosi was installed as president of the St. Margaret Mary Altar Society at the January meeting held at the parish hall.

Serving with her will be Mrs. John View, president; Mrs. Paul Pettit, secretary; Mrs. George Ciganovich, treasurer; Mrs. Dan Kimbell, publicity chairman.

Mrs. Theresa Andrews served as the installing officer. At a beautifully appointed table centered by white chrysanthemums and gold leaves, the incoming and outgoing officers received white camellia corsages from Mrs. John View, installation chairman.

New Leaders Are Installed

Long Beach Council 17, Daughters of America, installed its new officers at a meeting Jan. 4 at the Torrance Woman's club.

Angeline Disario was seated as the new counselor. Installed with her were Stelma Norris, vice counselor; Myra Snow, associate counselor; Lora Watson, associate vice counselor; Floella Whitacre, warden; Juanita McNew, conductor; May Smith, outside sentinel; Margaret Jol son, inside sentinel; Anna Kittle, 18 month trustee.

Conducting the installation was Bertha Rihi, district deputy. Angeline Disario conducted the meeting and Stelma Norris and her committee served refreshments.

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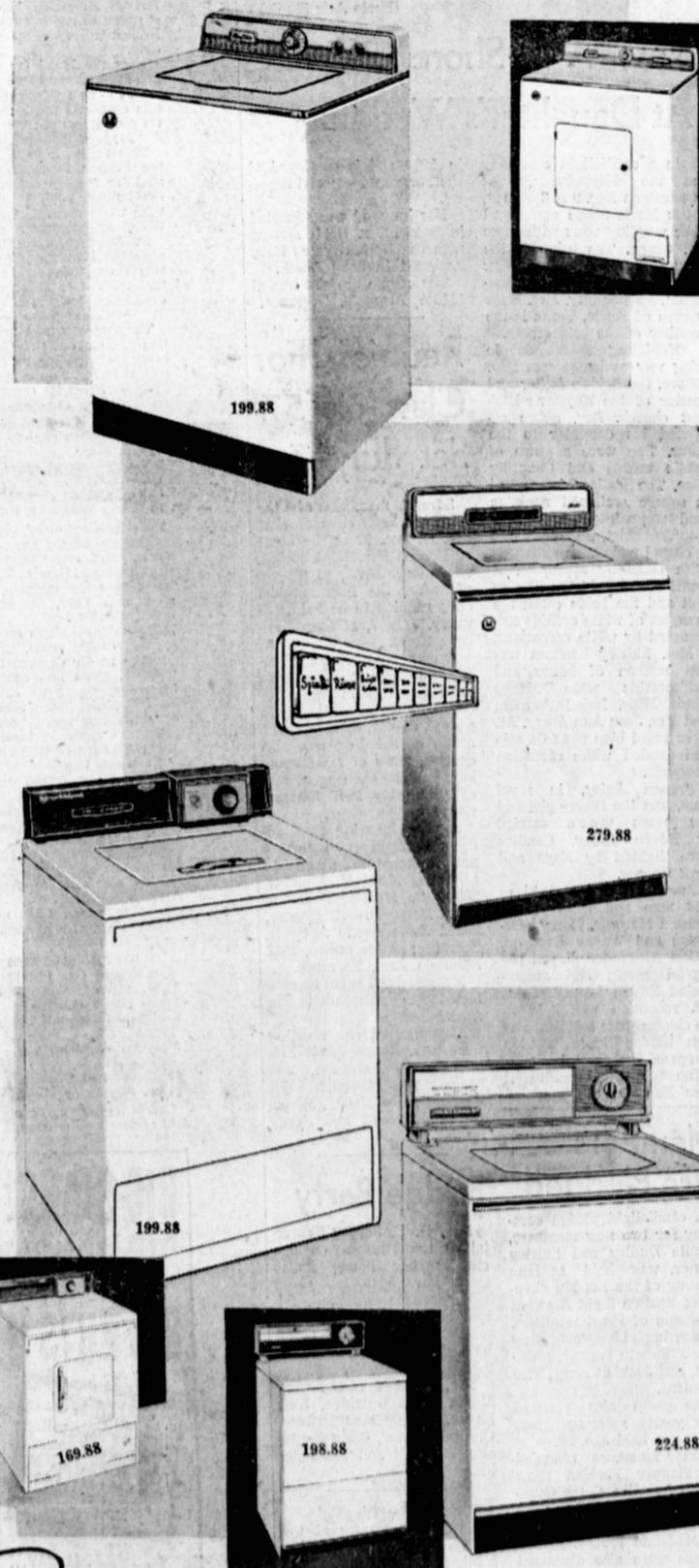
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